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Clean Copy of Amended Claims:

- 2. (Twice Amended) A method as claimed in 10, characterized in that the elevated temperature is between 300°C and 600°C.
- 10. (Amended) A method for labeling a sample container, comprising the steps of:

providing a container for holding a sample to be analyzed; elevating a temperature of the container to an elevated temperature above a

sample analysis temperature, which is greater than ambient temperature; and applying container identification to the container at the elevated temperature.